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## **Amendments to the Specification:**

Please replace the title with the following:

CONCENTRICALLY RECORDING AUXILIARY INFORMATION ON NON-DATA AREA
OF A DISK-LIKE RECORDING MEDIUM

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 11, line 23 with the following amended paragraph:

FIG. 4 shows an example of a disk ID recording format recorded in the BCA 26A.

(Original) As shown in FIG. 4, the circle is divided into n equal parts (in this case, n=6 n=3), thereby forming n blocks.

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